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**RESPONSE**

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In response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2002, Paper No. 13 ,  
please consider the following.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-7, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 22-26 remain pending in the present  
invention. Claims 2-7 are currently withdrawn from consideration at this time.

**REJECTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 112**

Claims 1, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 2-26 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first  
paragraph, as containing subject matter which was not described in the specification in